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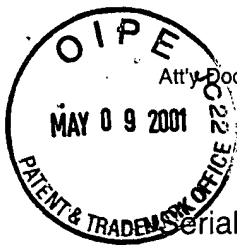
  
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. ☒ Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the office action of February 14, 2001.
2. ☐ Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.  
☐ Enclosed is a verified statement to establish Small Entity status  
☐ Other than a Small Entity
3. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	LG. ENTITY
	Claims After Amendment:	Already Paid:	No. Extra:	Addit. Rate Fee:	Addit. Rate: Fee:
TOTAL	10 MINUS	10 =	0 X	\$11 = \$_____	X \$22 = \$_____
INDEP	2 MINUS	2 =	0 X	\$40 = \$_____	X \$80 = \$_____
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim:				+ \$130 = \$_____	+ \$260 = \$_____

Total Fee Due: \$ N/A

- ☒ No additional fee for claims is required.
4. ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for additional claims.  
☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3000 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

5. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply. Complete (a) or (b) as applicable.

(a) ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee
<input type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$390.00	\$195.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$930.00	\$465.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,470.00	\$735.00

**Extension fee due with this request \$ None.**

**If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.**

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

☐ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid thereof of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. Extension fee due with this request \$\_\_\_\_\_.


**OR**

(b) ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

☒ **If any additional fee for claims or extension of time is required, charge Account No. 23-3000.**

Respectfully submitted,

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